

**From:** [Kang, Anne HLTH:EX](#)  
**To:** [Kang, Anne](#)  
**Subject:** Accepted: Tentative: David Eby & Anne Senior Event.

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**From:** Kang, Anne HLTH:EX  
**To:** Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** Re: For Approval - MLA quote  
**Date:** January 21, 2019 8:47:30 PM

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Approved

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 21, 2019, at 8:46 PM, Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX <[Lucinda.Yeung@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Lucinda.Yeung@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Already across the nine homes that received funding in Burnaby approximately 45,000 additional direct care hours have been provided by the end of September.

"People living in residential care and their families expect to receive the best day-to-day assistance possible. This investment is a key pillar of the Province's strategy to improve supports for patients outside of hospital." said Anne Kang, Parliamentary Secretary for Seniors.

"Staff at residential care homes in Fraser Health work incredibly hard and care a great deal for the seniors they serve. These investments support them with the resources needed to increase the level of care they provide and continue making their facilities a place residents can proudly call home," added Kang

Increasing the staff hours in residential care homes in Burnaby is just one of several health-care improvements underway in the region.

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**From:** Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, January 21, 2019 6:31 PM  
**To:** Kang, Anne HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** FW: For Approval - MLA quote

Hi Anne,

Thank you for your patience. They're running through the final check and edit of the news release and Q&A document, but it will look very similar to this recent update here: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2019HLTH0007-000027>. For you to know, residential care homes in Burnaby is receiving nearly \$4 million to reach the standard of 3.36 hours of direct care per resident, per day. New Vista alone

will have received \$899,000 in 18/19.

A quote has been drafted for your review and approval –

*“Staff at residential care homes in Fraser Health work incredibly hard and care a great deal for the seniors they serve. These investments support them with the resources needed to increase the level of care they provide and continue making their facilities a place residents can proudly call home.”*

Finally, the speaking notes are attached. The plan is for you and MD to jointly make the announcement. We can work in time before the event for you and MD to determine how you will work together. Raj will be emcee as the local MLA



Please feel free to text or call me on my cell<sup>s.17</sup> if I can be of further assistance.

Warmly,

Lucinda

**From:** [Kang, Anne HLTH:EX](#)  
**To:** [Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX](#)  
**Subject:** Re: For approval-quote for island announcement  
**Date:** January 14, 2019 12:58:55 PM

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Approved!

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 12, 2019, at 2:00 PM, Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX <[Lucinda.Yeung@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Lucinda.Yeung@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Anne!

MD is announcing the addition of long-term care beds in the Comox Valley next week -- drafts are still being worked on but we wanted to ensure that this quote gets to you for review before tomorrow

Some context - as you know from your conversation with Ronna Rae, there will be 150 new residential care beds added and a campus of seniors' care.

For your approval below:

"Through our seniors strategy we are working to support better services for seniors," said Parliamentary Secretary for Seniors Anne Kang. "The investment in these beds as well as additional investments in care hours and adult day care spaces are examples of how we are making improvements for seniors and their families."

Thank you,

Lucinda



**From:** [Kang, Anne HLTH:EX](#)  
**To:** [Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Provincial Government Event Invitation - Jan 18, 2019  
**Date:** January 17, 2019 7:50:10 PM

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Hi Elena,

Unfortunately, I'm not able to attend this event. Thanks for the invitation.

Sincerely,  
Anne

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 17, 2019, at 2:10 PM, Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX <[Elena.Banfield@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Elena.Banfield@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Good afternoon,  
Please find attached an invitation on behalf of the Honourable Adrian Dix, Minister of Health, to an event on Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup> at 10:15 a.m. in Port Moody.  
We hope to have you in attendance and look forward to receiving your RSVP.  
Best regards,  
**Elena Banfield** | Event Coordinator  
Government Communications and Public Engagement  
Mobile: 604-842-0984 | [elena.banfield@gov.bc.ca](mailto:elena.banfield@gov.bc.ca)

**From:** [Kang, Anne HLTH:EX](#)  
**To:** **S.17**  
**Subject:** SN\_Burnaby ONLY 3.36 Jan 21\_420 pm updated.docx  
**Date:** January 22, 2019 9:32:27 AM  
**Attachments:** SN\_Burnaby ONLY 3.36 Jan 21\_420 pm updated.docx  
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## **Urgent, Action: details for Rotary Dragons event**

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From: s.17 , Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca, Apollo.Chung@leg.bc.ca, Liang, Felix, Chung, Apollo  
Sent: January 8, 2019 9:16:20 AM PST  
Received: January 8, 2019 9:16:20 AM PST

Am I attending an event? Jan 11, 2-10pm, Rotary of Dragon. Details please. I will NOT be attending the whole 8 hours.

Thanks,  
Anne

&lt; Jan 11

Event Details

Edit

# Pending: Rotary of Dragon

unknown

Friday, Jan 11, 2019

from 2 PM to 10 PM

|      |   |
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| 1 PM | Brock Hall                                |
| 2 PM | Pending: Rotary of Dragon<br>unknown      |
| 3 PM | BBOT Pacific Gateway<br>Committee Meeting |
| 4 PM | Grant Lousie Constituent Meeting          |

Calendar

• Calendar &gt;

Alert

15 minutes before &gt;

Notes

Entered by Felix Liang on 9/10/2018

More information ask Lucy

Delete Event

Sent from my iPhone

## Re: Event: 恭請康大人蒞臨指導

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Liang, Felix  
Cc: Chung, Apollo  
Sent: January 8, 2019 2:14:57 PM PST  
Received: January 8, 2019 2:14:58 PM PST

I will not be attending any of Reagan's TCM events.

Thanks,  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 8, 2019, at 10:44 AM, Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Reagan is inviting us to a TCM Brain class that is going to take place in Raj's office on 2019.1.20 from 1:30 pm to 5:30 p.m.

The duration is quite long and the location far from the previous events on that day.

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**From:** Kang.MLA, Anne  
**Sent:** Monday, January 7, 2019 11:46 PM  
**To:** Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: 恭請康大人蒞臨指導

Event

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** reagan chu <[s.22](mailto:s.22)>  
**Date:** January 4, 2019 at 3:39:53 PM PST  
**To:** Anne Kang.MLA <[anne.kang.mla@leg.bc.ca](mailto:anne.kang.mla@leg.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** 恭請康大人蒞臨指導

**Dear 康大人 :** good afternoon

恭請康大人蒞臨指導，與我們拜年發紅包，感恩感謝。

**Association of Traditional Chinese Medicine for Brain Injury**

**Chair : Reagan Chu**

卑詩省中醫腦傷科專科醫學會上課通知

時間：2019-1-20星期天 13::30到17:30

地點：卑詩省副議長辦事處

5234 Rumble st. Burnaby ( 夾 Royal Oak ) V5J2B6

崔秀芳教授

九針治療高血壓症的臨床研究

張惠君教授

自主神經精細解剖與高血壓病的發病機理探討

**Re: Event: Invitation to a dinner reception on Wednesday, February 13, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. at Government House**

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Liang, Felix  
Cc: Chung, Apollo  
Sent: January 9, 2019 8:09:43 PM PST  
Received: January 9, 2019 8:09:44 PM PST

Yes, I will attend.  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 9, 2019, at 3:44 PM, Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Lieutenant Governor is inviting you to a dinner reception on Wednesday, February 13, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. at Government House. Would you like to RSVP?

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**From:** Kang.MLA, Anne  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 8, 2019 5:42 PM  
**To:** Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Invitation to a dinner reception on Wednesday, February 13, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. at Government House  
Event. Anne should go

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "RSVP, GH FIN:EX" <[GHRSPV@gov.bc.ca](mailto:GHRSPV@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** January 8, 2019 at 3:50:26 PM PST  
**To:** "Kang.MLA, Anne" <[Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Invitation to a dinner reception on Wednesday, February 13, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. at Government House

Good Afternoon,  
Please see the attached invitation and kindly RSVP by Tuesday, February 5, 2019.  
Kind regards,  
Heidi Neeves  
Programmes Assistant  
Office of the Lieutenant Governor  
Government House  
1401 Rockland Avenue  
Victoria, BC V8S 1V9  
**\*Please note my new telephone number**  
**Tel: 778-974-5529**  
[www.ltgov.bc.ca](http://www.ltgov.bc.ca)

<190213-Invitation-Kang.pdf>

## Re: request from Anne Kang

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Gill, Goneet  
Sent: January 10, 2019 11:15:19 AM PST  
Received: January 10, 2019 11:15:19 AM PST

s.17

Thanks!  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 10, 2019, at 11:14 AM, Gill, Goneet <[Goneet.Gill@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Goneet.Gill@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Anne,  
Please see the email from Chris McLaren at the premier's office below. What number would you like to be reached at?  
Thanks,  
Goneet

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**From:** McLaren, Chris PREM:EX [<mailto:Chris.McLaren@gov.bc.ca>]

**Sent:** Thursday, January 10, 2019 10:30 AM

**To:** Gill, Goneet <[Goneet.Gill@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Goneet.Gill@leg.bc.ca)>

**Subject:** Re: request from Anne Kang

Hello Goneet,

We have a request from Anne Kang for a call with the Premier.

We have time at around noon.

Please provide me with her contact number as soon as you are able.

Thanks,

Chris

**Christine McLaren, Scheduling Officer**  
Office of the Premier  
778-974-6083





Meeting with Minister Dix and Burnaby MLA's

Added by Sam Scott 09.15.17

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Kahlon, Ravi

Sent: Friday, September 8, 2017 12:19 PM

To: Kahlon, Ravi; Kahlon, Ravi PREM:EX; Kang, Gurbrinder; Kang, Anne

Subject: Meeting with Chairs of Multicultural Working Group for the Seniors Advocate

When: Wednesday, September 20, 2017 10:30 AM-11:30 AM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: Pine Room - Government Caucus, East Annex

To discuss the needs of ethno-cultural and indigenous seniors in B.C. as reported in the paper 'Priorities for B.C. Seniors' (attached) produced by the Seniors Advocate.

Attending:

PS Ravi Kahlon

PS Anne Kang

Executive Lead Dean Seyker and Exec Lead Tessa Graham – attending with Ravi Kahlon

Mrs. Buncy Pagely

Mr. Raj Pagely – Chair



## Information Note Advice to Minister

**Date:** September 18, 2017

**Cliff #** 31017

**Issue:** Ethno-Cultural and Indigenous Seniors in British Columbia

### **Background / Facts:**

- Mrs. Buncy Pagely, Chair of the Multicultural Working Group for the Office of the Seniors Advocate requested a meeting with Parliamentary Secretary, Ravi Kahlon to discuss the needs of ethno-cultural and indigenous seniors in British Columbia. Given the nature of the request, it was suggested that Parliamentary Secretary responsible for Seniors Anne Kang also attend scheduled meeting.
- Mrs. Pagely was a recipient of the Queen's Golden Jubilee Commemorative Medal for her work as a health care educator; that has included board membership with the College of Dieticians of BC, the College of Registered Nurses, and the Capital Health Region Aboriginal Advisory Panel.
- Mr. Raj Singh Pagely who is also scheduled to attend the meeting is a retired teacher who served as a member of the B.C. Multicultural Advisory Council from 2005-2011. He was also the founding members of the first Umbrella Association of Multiculturalism organizations in BC, now called AMSSA (The Affiliation of Multicultural Societies and Service Agencies)
- Mr. Pagely was also the founder of the first Indian Field Hockey Team in Victoria.

### Demographics

- The 2011 census reported that 586,756 people 65 and over (seniors) lived in the Province, however the census also forecast that by 2020, that number is expected to grow to 984,000, and by 2036 there will be nearly 1.5 million seniors in B.C.
- This growth includes the migration of seniors but is mainly attributed to the baby-boom generation.
- The Kootenays and Vancouver Island have senior populations 5% higher than other areas in B.C.
- First-generation immigrants from the British Isles remain a strong component of local society, however people representing 3% of more of the provinces diverse ethnic origins, includes: Chinese 10.6%, South Asian 7.2%, Aboriginal 5.4% and Ukrainian 4.84%.

### Multiculturalism

- Section 3 of the BC Multiculturalism Act states that it is the policy of government to:
  - "(g) recognize the inherent right of each British Columbian, regardless of race, cultural heritage, religion, ethnicity, ancestry or place of origin, to be treated with dignity, and
  - (h) Generally, carry on government services and programs in a manner that is sensitive and responsive to the multicultural reality of British Columbia."

### The Office of the Seniors Advocate of British Columbia (office)

- The office monitors and analyzes seniors' services and issues in B.C., and makes recommendations to government and service providers to address systemic issues.

### **Analysis:**

- The Office of the Seniors Advocate produced the report, *Priorities for BC Seniors* in September 2016 which highlights Canada's indigenous and ethno-cultural diversity of backgrounds reflected

in the B.C. seniors' population. The report presents the following recommendations specific to culturally-sensitive care provision:

- Through its mandate on multiculturalism, the Federal government should consider explicit expectations in its provision of Federal transfer payments to provinces.
- Initiatives include supporting the training of care providers in relation to different cultural norms, attitudes, beliefs and values.
- Governments must also work together to ensure that culturally appropriate patient-centred care across all sectors of the health system is the norm.
- Culturally sensitive care must consider food, religion, customs and cultural traditions that will improve patient well-being that, in turn, will lead to faster healing times and more optimal use of health care resources.
- Within BC, the Provincial Health Services Authority has developed a number of initiatives in response to the need to provide culturally-sensitive care, these have included:
  - Indigenous Cultural Safety Training Program designed to increase knowledge, enhance self-awareness, and strengthen skills of those who work directly and indirectly with Indigenous people.
  - Cultural safety training for employees, physicians, contractors, students, community support professionals, and volunteers.
  - Partnerships between Health Authorities and agencies and ethnic groups to deliver culturally appropriate care in areas of significant diversity, i.e. – China Town Care Center in Victoria, BC.
- The Provincial Health Services Authority activities are consistent with the *BC Multiculturalism Act* to carry on government services and programs in a manner that is sensitive and responsive to the multicultural reality of British Columbia.
- s.13

### **Conclusion:**

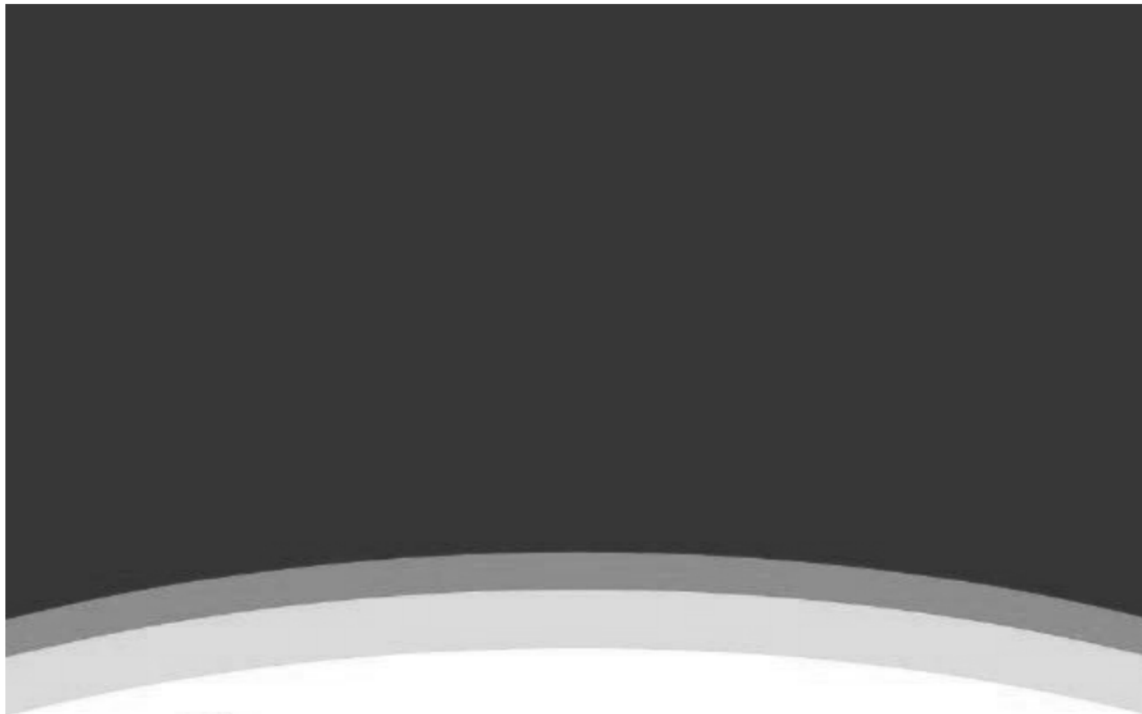
The senior population in BC is expected to continue to grow and reach nearly 1m by 2020. An increasing percentage of those seniors will continue to require culturally sensitive services, particularly for those of Chinese, South Asian and indigenous ethnic origin.

Staff training and partnerships with indigenous and ethnic groups/agencies will continue to be key initiatives in the ongoing improvement in service delivery for indigenous and ethno-cultural seniors.

**Attachment:**      *Attachment 1: Priorities for BC Seniors September 2016*

**Contact:**        *Mark Seeley, Director – Multiculturalism - (604) 868-7768*

**Attachment 1: Priorities for BC Seniors September 2016**



OFFICE OF THE  
**SENIORS ADVOCATE**  
BRITISH COLUMBIA

## **Priorities for B.C. Seniors**

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September 2016

Submitted by: Office of the Seniors Advocate, Council of Advisors

## About the Office of the Seniors Advocate and the Council of Advisors

In April 2014, British Columbia established the first Office of the Seniors Advocate (OSA) under the leadership of Canada's first Seniors Advocate, Isobel Mackenzie. The Seniors Advocate is a Statutory Officer of Government created through the Seniors Advocate Act. Under legislation, the Advocate has responsibility to monitor seniors' services, analyze systemic issues that affect seniors and their family members, provide information and referral to seniors and their caregivers, and report to the public on any issues arising from the discharge of these duties. Reporting to the Minister responsible for seniors, currently the Minister of Health, the Advocate addresses issues across health care, transportation, housing, income supports and personal care.

Section 6 of British Columbia's *Seniors Advocate Act* provides legislative authority for the Seniors Advocate to establish an advisory council for the purpose of providing advice to the Seniors Advocate respecting the priorities and fulfillment of the responsibilities of the Seniors Advocate under the Act.

In exercising this prerogative, the Seniors Advocate of BC sought applications from all British Columbia seniors interested in serving on an advisory council and members were announced in February 2015. From over 300 applications, 30 men and women were chosen who collectively represent the diversity of geography, culture, gender and socioeconomic status that makes up BC's 850,000 seniors. Known as the Council of Advisors (COA), the group meets twice a year with the Seniors Advocate to provide feedback and advice on the work of the Office of the Seniors Advocate. Working together for a year under the mandate of the *Seniors Advocate Act* of BC, the Council has been involved in helping to build the first Office of the Seniors Advocate in Canada. This has included involvement in shaping reports and research in response to systemic issues affecting seniors. In addition, COA members provide outreach to their respective communities and serve as a bridge to the OSA. A complete list of the members of COA is attached.

## About this Submission

The Federal Government is a significant partner for British Columbia in supporting the health and well-being of seniors. Given the importance of this relationship, the COA, with the support of the Seniors Advocate, offers this submission in support of enhancing federal understanding of the issues facing BC seniors, many of which will resonate with seniors across the country.

In developing this submission, the Council designated a small working group to review the mandate letters for all Cabinet Ministers, cross-referenced this with research and work undertaken by the OSA, and developed associated recommendations. This paper focuses on

issues and policies that are relevant to federal jurisdiction particularly in the areas of housing, health care, income and transportation.

## Support Affordable Housing for Seniors

Concerns about affordable, accessible and available housing are paramount to seniors as they age. In BC, over 93% of seniors live independently; 80% are homeowners and 20% are renters. Of those who own their own home, 78% have no debt against the home. However, the income of seniors is low relative to other home owners; a full 25% of senior homeowners have a household income of less than \$30,000, while 35% of senior renters have an annual household income less than \$20,000. Unlike younger generations that have issues with the affordability of becoming a homeowner, seniors concerns for affordability relate to rental costs, maintenance of housing they own, and the availability of accessible housing to meet their needs as they age.

Work by the Office of the Seniors Advocate has identified the need to help low-income homeowners as well as renters.

In addition to the goals outlined in the mandate letters of Ministers Duclos, Foote and Sohi, and in recognition of priorities contained in Budget 2016, we recommend the Federal Government work with the provinces on four specific issues:

1. Increase assistance to seniors who are currently renting, recognizing barriers to the affordability of rental stock in major metropolitan centres and resource industry communities, and addressing concerns around lack of availability of rental accommodation in more rural areas. Resources directed to seniors' housing initiatives must not only encourage new rental builds, but also ensure existing units are accessible and appropriate to the unique needs of seniors, as well as affordable.
2. Create a program that will allow seniors to access the equity in their home to support the rising of costs of remaining in their home as they age. While seniors in British Columbia are able to defer property taxes through a provincial deferment program, additional household expenses such as major repairs, monthly utility bills and home insurance, may preclude some seniors from staying in their homes. Therefore, the OSA is recommending a home owner expense deferment-type system. This type of program was referenced in the election platform of the Liberal Party of Canada in 2006.
3. Mitigate the impact on low-income seniors who are living in cooperative housing environments where long-term operating agreements are coming up for renewal, help maintain rent-geared-to-income subsidies and allocate resources to the renovation/maintenance of existing co-ops and the creation of new housing co-ops. Policies must account for those living in manufactured home parks which provide low cost housing along with socially connected communities.



4. View seniors who are homeless as a discrete population within the general homeless community. The challenges for seniors who are homeless differ from those of younger homeless people. This is not always recognized in the access rules related to funding for homeless initiatives, which also need to support assistance being provided to seniors at risk of becoming homeless.

## Enhance Health Care/Home Care for Seniors

In addition to the health care priorities brought to the Federal Government's attention through national campaigns such as the Canadian Medical Association's *Demand a Plan for Seniors Health Care* initiative, of particular concern to seniors is the issue of access to integrated home and community care services. This includes not just professional services and home support but also adult day programs and respite care, providing critically-needed support for caregivers. These programs are fundamental to supporting caregivers, as well as seniors receiving direct care services. While Budget 2016 did not specifically reference the allocation of home care resources as outlined in the Liberal Platform, thoughtful consideration of how best to integrate home and community care into the overall health care system through a renegotiated Health Accord must be given. In addition to the goals outlined in the mandate letter for Minister Philpott, the OSA Council of Advisors requests that the Federal Government consider:

1. Specific reference to the value of, and need for, enhanced home support services and community-based rehabilitative therapies as home and community care is fully integrated into the health care system. Evidence corroborates the need for frail seniors to receive more support in increasing and maintaining their mobility. With home care, the focus is often on either specific personal care *or* nursing tasks, but not both in the same visit. Enhanced home care must not only incorporate increases to existing services, but also expand the scope of services provided.
2. Federal leadership to address polypharmacy. While there is a great need to increase access to necessary prescription medications, there is also documented evidence of over-prescribing for many seniors. British Columbia, for example, continues to have a higher percentage of individuals in residential care who are taking anti-psychotic medications without a diagnosis of psychosis relative to other provinces. Similarly, rates of prescriptions for anti-depressants do not correlate with the rates of seniors' diagnosed with depression.
3. Federal leadership/advocacy to provide ancillary health care needs. While some provinces, such as Alberta, provide some coverage for health care needs such as dental, vision and mobility aids, the vast majority of BC seniors do not receive coverage for these critical needs, which contribute to overall health and well-being and to social connectedness, a key determinant of health. National leadership on a palliative care strategy is also key.

## **Strengthen Retirement Security**

The Office of the Seniors Advocate's Federal Working Group joins many other organizations in reiterating the importance of maintaining the financial security of seniors. Median retirement income, according to the 2011 federal census, is \$20,100 for women and \$30,100 for men. It is important to note, unlike younger Canadians, these incomes do not normally rise, leaving many seniors largely dependent on the Canada Pension Plan, Old Age Security and the Guaranteed Income Supplement. While Budget 2016 did make improvements by increasing the GIS and the commitment to move eligibility for OAS back from age 67 to 65, the OSA Council of Advisors also encourages the Federal Government to consider the following:

1. Index OAS and GIS payments to keep up with the true cost of living and more fully explore the idea of a new price index for seniors.
2. Work closely with the Province to ensure seniors are filing tax returns, including awareness campaigns and targeted tax package delivery, and ensure that seniors are aware of all Federal subsidies they may be eligible for.
3. Streamline and simplify application processes for benefits such as the GIS and the Disability Tax Credit and make this specific credit refundable.
4. Include a diverse cross-section of seniors' organizations, including the Office of the Seniors Advocate, in upcoming consultations regarding enhancements to the Canada Pension Plan and affirm the Federal Government's commitment to honour the promise of maintaining defined benefit pensions.

## **Improve Affordability and Access to Transportation for Seniors**

Access to adequate transportation is a fundamental need for seniors - whether it involves getting to medical appointments, visiting loved ones, or participating in community and social events. While many seniors drive – 76% of all B.C. seniors maintain an active driver's license – others must rely on public transportation, taxis or other modes of transportation. By the age of 85, the proportion of seniors with an active drivers' license drops to 34%. Rural areas face particular issues when it comes to transportation. Hospitals or clinics can be hundreds of kilometers away and public transit may be minimal or non-existent, leaving seniors in often challenging circumstances. When public transit is available, schedules and routes can be highly inconvenient for seniors and fares can be out of reach for some low-income seniors. For example in British Columbia, very low-income seniors are eligible for a \$45 a year bus pass, however those with slightly higher, but still low incomes, are required to pay full fares. The Council of Advisors supports Minister of Transportation Marc Garneau's Infrastructure Strategy that commits to investments to public transit infrastructure and recommends the following inclusions:

1. Support aligning provincial projects with federal priorities including opportunities to develop public transit in both major metropolitan areas and under-serviced rural/remote areas.
2. Prioritize transportation initiatives as part of Age-Friendly Communities initiatives.
3. Ensure transportation initiatives are supported at the municipal level.
4. Road infrastructure priorities should include exhaustive pedestrian safety enhancements.

### Needs of Ethno-cultural and Indigenous Seniors in Canada

Canada is a country characterized by the foundational richness of its indigenous peoples and by the ethno-cultural diversity of the backgrounds of the population as a whole. This is reflected across the age spectrum and includes seniors. It is incumbent on all levels of government to develop public policies that recognize and support ethnic diversity across the spectrum of seniors' services, particularly in the home and community care system. To this end, the Council of Advisors recommends the following:

1. ***Culturally-sensitive care provision:*** Through its mandate on multiculturalism, the Federal government should consider explicit expectations, in this area, in its provision of Federal transfer payments to provinces. Initiatives include supporting the training of care providers in relation to different cultural norms, attitudes, beliefs and values. Governments must also work together to ensure that culturally appropriate patient-centred care, whether in assisted living, residential care, hospitals, or home and continuing care in the community, is the norm. Culturally sensitive care must consider food, religion, customs and cultural traditions that will improve patient well-being that, in turn, will lead to faster healing times and more optimal use of health care resources.

### Conclusion

The needs of seniors are diverse and complex and this submission touches on but a few issues. It is the Office of the Seniors Advocate's Council of Advisors' hope that concerns raised will serve to add further insight into priorities for seniors not only in British Columbia, but the rest of Canada as well. Moving forward, the Council looks forward to the continued progress of the recommendations outlined.

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Ma, Bowinn

Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 9:06 PM

To: Ma, Bowinn; Elmore, Mable; Glumac, Rick; Kang, Anne; Kahlon, Ravi; Rice, Jennifer

Subject: Updated: Parliamentary Secretaries Night

When: Wednesday, October 4, 2017 6:00 PM-9:00 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: Rick's Office

When: Oct 4, 2017 18:00:00

Where: Rick's Office

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Rescheduled due to the TransLink Briefing being provided to everyone.

Dinner and drinks and chat about being a Parl Sec.

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Yao, Henry On Behalf Of Kang, Anne  
Sent: Monday, October 2, 2017 2:46 PM  
To: Kang, Anne; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX  
Subject: Meeting BC Health Care Coalition  
When: Friday, October 6, 2017 11:00 AM-12:00 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).  
Where: Burnaby Deer Lake Constituency Office

Sent: Monday, October 2, 2017 1:22 PM  
To: Kang.MLA, Anne <Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>>  
Subject: Confirming attendees to mtg with Anne Kang Fri, Oct 6 at 11am

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Adam Lynes-Ford

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All the best,  
Adam

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Kang.MLA, Anne

Re: Re; ""

Wed 2017-08-23 5:10 PM

1061pm 105 - 6411 Nelson Ave, Burnaby, BC Henry YAO

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Julia Hsieh<sup>s.22</sup>

Wed 2017-08-23 3:38 PM

To:

Kang.MLA, Anne;

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Cc:

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Flag for follow up. Start by August-23-17. Due by August-23-17.

You replied on 2017-08-23 5:10 PM.

Download all

Action Items

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Best regards,

2017-08-23 10:59 GMT-07:00 Kang.MLA, Anne <Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>:

Henry Yao

thanksgiving week

Henry YAO

From:<sup>s.22</sup>

Sent: Tuesday, August 22, 2017 5:04 PM

To: Kang.MLA, Anne <Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Yao, Henry <Henry.Yao@leg.bc.ca>

Cc: s.22

Subject: Re: ""

To: Henry,

From: s.22

Re: ""

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From: Julia Hsieh s.22

Sent: August 22, 2017 4:13 PM

To: s.22

Subject:

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Sincerely,

Julia Hsieh

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Entered and RSVP'd  
Invited by via WeChat  
Approximately 400 attendees  
Anne needs to prepare for a speech

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Yup! I would like to go.

Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 28, 2017, at 10:05 AM, Kang.MLA, Anne <Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>> wrote:

Is this within your riding or do you feel comfortable to approach this event as an ethnic outreach instead of PS4S portfolio. I believe you are good to go as there is no discussion or recommendations in regards to policies or services.

Henry YAO

From: Kang, Anne

Sent: Sunday, August 27, 2017 5:41 PM

To: Kang.MLA, Anne <Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>>

Subject: s.22

Do we need approval to attend this event? It's from my dear Korean community. I've put it on my calendar already.

Anne

From Michael Chang:

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Sent from my iPhone

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Kang, Gurbrinder On Behalf Of Kang, Anne

Sent: Tuesday, October 3, 2017 11:31 AM

To: Kang, Anne; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX

Cc: McCormick, Erika HLTH:EX

Subject: Seniors Care Info Session: A 'Lunch and Learn' with BC Government MLAs (Oct 16)

When: Monday, October 16, 2017 12:00 PM-1:00 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: Birch Room--339

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Introduce the Premiere

(Brad) I am a registered consultant working with a group with a new shingles vaccine for seniors. I spoke to the Minister about it last week and he agreed to sit down with us to learn more. We also mentioned how this issue would be important to Parliamentary Secretary Kang.

Meeting on 18th October, 2017

Time: 10.00 to 10.30 am

Location: oak room (303)

List of Attendees:

Anne Kang

Amanda

Erika

Brad

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Contact : Colette Ryan  
Phone: 604-736-4233 ext 236

Mike Klassen—phone: cell :s.22

Yes, great. In her office in Burnaby Office(105-6411 Nelson Ave. Burnaby).

Date: On 27th October, 2017.  
Time: 9.00 am to 10.00 am  
Location: Constituency office. (105-6411 Nelson Ave. Burnaby).

Topic to Discuss: Details later

Thank you,  
Gurbrinder

From: Colette Ryan [mailto:colette@bccare.ca]  
Sent: September-19-17 10:39 AM  
To: Kang, Gurbrinder <Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca>>  
Subject: RE: Letter / meeting request from BCCPA

Hi Gurbrinder,  
Would 9am on the 27th work?

Thanks,  
Colette

From: Kang, Gurbrinder [mailto:Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 10:36 AM  
To: Colette Ryan <colette@bccare.ca<mailto:colette@bccare.ca>>  
Subject: RE: Letter / meeting request from BCCPA

Hi Colette,

The first available day she can meet is 27th October in the morning?  
Let me know if that works for you?

Thank you,  
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From: Colette Ryan [mailto:colette@bccare.ca]  
Sent: September-19-17 10:08 AM  
To: Kang, Gurbrinder <Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca>>  
Subject: RE: Letter / meeting request from BCCPA

Hi Gurbrinder,  
Thank you for your response.

Could you please let me know PS Kang's availability in the next little while. Daniel and Mike are eager to meet with her.

We are very pleased she will be attending our ribbon cutting.

Thank you,

Colette

From: Kang, Gurbrinder [mailto:Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 8:20 AM  
To: Colette Ryan <colette@bccare.ca<mailto:colette@bccare.ca>>  
Subject: RE: Letter / meeting request from BCCPA

Hi Colette,  
I am confirming that PS Kang would be there at the ribbon cutting ceremony .  
She would also like a meeting in the near future, we can organise one.

Thank you,  
Gurbrinder

From: Colette Ryan [mailto:colette@bccare.ca]  
Sent: September-18-17 3:28 PM  
To: Kang, Gurbrinder <Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca>>; Kang, MLA, Anne  
<Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>>  
Subject: FW: Letter / meeting request from BCCPA

Good Day Gurbrinder,

I hope you are settling into your new position nicely.

My VP of Communications Mike Klassen emailed PS Kang a couple of months back regarding a meeting. I'm following up to this email:

Mike and my CEO, Daniel Fontaine, would like to meet with the PS in the next month or so. Do you think that is a possibility?

I also want to confirm that PS Kang is indeed coming to our ribbon cutting on October 20th. Henry confirmed she would, but it's my understanding that you are now in charge of Kang's calendar.

Thanks so much,

Sincerely,

Colette Ryan  
Executive Assistant & Board Secretariat, BC Care Providers Association

We've Moved!  
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www.bccare.ca<http://www.bccare.ca/>  
@bccareproviders



"Improving Seniors Care...Together"

From: Mike Klassen <mklassen@bccare.ca<mailto:mklassen@bccare.ca>>

Date: Thursday, July 20, 2017 at 4:32 PM

To: "anne.kang.mla@leg.bc.ca<mailto:anne.kang.mla@leg.bc.ca>"

<anne.kang.mla@leg.bc.ca<mailto:anne.kang.mla@leg.bc.ca>>

Subject: Letter / meeting request from BCCPA

Good afternoon,

Please see attached correspondence to Anne Kang in her capacity as Parliamentary Secretary for Seniors.

Kind regards,

Mike

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Mike Klassen

VP, Communications & Stakeholder Relations

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"Improving Seniors Care...Together"

As requested, Adrian is confirmed to attend and speak at this conference on Sat/Oct 28. As per Jas – she will be confirming the time Minister Dix is to speak (between 2 – 3:30pm). I have added details to calendar and will update as needed.

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Kang, Anne

Sent: Friday, August 18, 2017 5:44 PM

To: Kang, Anne; Yao, Henry

Subject: Pacific Austin Family NewWork -

When: Sunday, November 12, 2017 6:30 PM-9:30 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: River Rock 8811 River rd, Richmond

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From: Kang, Gurbrinder On Behalf Of Kang, Anne

Sent: Tuesday, November 7, 2017 12:52 PM

To: Kang, Anne; McCormick, Erika HLTH:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX

Subject: Meeting with President Lorraine and board members (COSCO)

When: Friday, November 17, 2017 1:00 PM-1:30 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: Anne's Constituency office

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-----Original Appointment-----

From: Yao, Henry On Behalf Of Kang, Anne

Sent: Tuesday, November 7, 2017 2:47 PM

To: Kang, Anne; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX

Subject: meeting Maria Howard from Alzheimer Society

When: Friday, November 17, 2017 2:30 PM-3:00 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: Constituency Office

Meeting requested by the Ministry of Health's office. Official meeting time is 2:30pm to 3:00pm

Hi Reah:

Thanks so much for your note! Maria Howard, CEO, and I are very much looking forward to our meeting with Anne on November 17th at her constituency office. I hope I get to meet you on that day.

Thanks again,

-Barbara

Barbara Lindsay LLB

Director, Advocacy & Education; Marketing & Communications Alzheimer Society of B.C.

300 - 828 West 8th Avenue

Vancouver, BC V5Z 1E2

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Hi Erika:

Yes Serge Haber and Ken Levitt will be able to attend the meeting on Friday, November 17, 2017 at 3:30 p.m. Please confirm Anne Kang's constituency office address as 105 - 6411 Nelson Avenue, Burnaby.

Thank you for your assistance.

Best Regards,  
Elizabeth Azeroual  
Administrative Coordinator  
Jewish Seniors Alliance of Greater Vancouver  
949 W 49th Ave., (cnr. Oak St.), Vancouver, B.C. V5Z 2T1  
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Dim Sum at CM with Wendy, , and Eric

1230-1250 Seniors Lunch at the Burnaby Neighbourhood House to present Antonia with a certificate

Dr. Michael Chong and potentially his secretary

Topic Tzu Chi and Chinese medicine, primary on the services – He is following up on the proposal that was previously presented.

Email Tom [pr@tzuchi.ca](mailto:pr@tzuchi.ca)<mailto:pr@tzuchi.ca>

This sounds important to me. I would like to go but I'm not sure if my schedule and traffic/driving would work.

Please advise.

Anne

From: Kang.MLA, Anne  
Sent: Thursday, November 30, 2017 11:42 AM  
To: Kang, Anne .S.17  
Subject: Request Anne for ribbon cutting

Dear Honourable MLA Anne Kang,

For the purpose of celebrating Canada's 150 years birthday and enrich seniors' livelihood,) photography team is hosting the first ever. It is on Dec 01 2017 (tomorrow) 9:30am-10:30am. Location is at 43a Pender Street (located near the Dr Sun Yat Sen Park) second floor.

Please advise if Ms. Kang can make it to the ribbon cutting?

Thank you

Henry Jiun-Hsien Yao, Constituency Assistant  
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Anne Kang  
MLA Burnaby Deer Lake  
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(O) 105-6411 Nelson Ave, Burnaby, B.C. V5H 4H3

This joint meeting between AGE-WELL and Minister Ralston, Chow and PS Kang and Glumac will be confirmed for the following.

December 4th  
8:30-9:30am  
SFU Campus, Surrey  
250-13450 102nd Avenue

The meeting will offer them a chance to see a bit more of campus and also include demonstrations of the medical technologies under development

Map and directions here: <http://www.sfu.ca/campuses/maps-and-directions/surrey-map.html>

#### Attendees

- a. Sherry Baker, Executive Director
- b. Sharon Johnson, Director of Administration
- c. Ajit Mehat, Board Member

#### Topic

The discussion topic of the meeting is about the organization experience and understanding on issues around adult abuse neglect and self-neglect. We would like to share our success in building 68 Response Networks with activity in 160 communities

#### Ask

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#### Organization Liaison

Sherry Baker, [ed@bccrns.ca](mailto:ed@bccrns.ca)<<mailto:ed@bccrns.ca>>

#### Organization Background

The British Columbia Association of Community Response Networks (BC CRN) grew out of the need to create an on-going, permanent provincial funding and support structure for the benefit of local CRNs and adults in their communities experiencing abuse, neglect and self-neglect. The Association provides small project funding, materials, training, support people and maintains a website to assist Community Response Networks in their work. As well, provincial teleconferences are held on a monthly basis with all CRN members and interested parties invited to join the conversation.

At the local level, CRNs facilitate prevention and education activities with local stakeholders toward an end to abuse, neglect and self-neglect of adults in British Columbia. In liaising at the provincial level through their Regional Mentors and the Executive Director, CRNs assist in identifying common themes, barriers and issues which require work at the regional, provincial and sometimes national level.

#### Communication History

Thank you so much Henry. Of course we can meet Ms Kang at 3 on Dec 8. However, as we are coming from Langley, Surrey and Port Moody may I ask if the meeting could be a bit earlier in the day to avoid the crazy Friday afternoon traffic? If that is not possible then we certainly understand and will be there at 3.

1. Yes. you have the three attendees accurately
2. We would like to share our success in building 68 Response Networks with activity in 160 communities.
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4. Yes. Please continue to communicate with me and I will make sure to pass on the information to our team

I am at a Board Voice conference right now so am unable to send you any attachments. I will follow up with this background material as soon as I get home on Sunday.

Thank you once again for being so responsive



Sherry Baker  
Executive Director  
BC CRN

Dear Sherry,

Thank you so much for your speedy reply. I believe Ms. Kang is available on either Dec 04 or 08. How does December 8th, Friday, 3pm at our constituency office sound? Please review the following information and if there are any questions, please reply or call as you see fit.

Booking: Meeting between Ms. Anne Kang, MLA for Burnaby Deer Lake and BC Association of Community Response Networks.

Date: Dec 08 2017

Day: Friday

Time: 3:00pm-3:30pm

Location: 105-6411 Nelson Ave, Burnaby, BC

Notes: There are mall parking and underground visitor parking. Please enter the office by the ground floor store front entrance.

Please provide information for the following questions so Ms. Kang may better prepared for the meeting.

1. Who is coming to the meeting other than the one whom are identified.

d. Sherry Baker, Executive Director

e. Sharon Johnson, Director of Administration

f. Ajit Mehat, Board Member

2. The discussion topic of the meeting is about the organization experience and understanding on issues around adult abuse neglect and self-neglect. Is there anything else you are planning to discuss with Ms. Kang?

3. What, may I ask, does the organization hoping to achieve from the meeting?

4. I assume Sherry Baker is the best person or is there someone else whom we can communicate with in case any last minute change?

Thank you so much and we look forward to meet you all in person

Henry Jiun-Hsien Yao, Constituency Assistant  
, | (E) [henry.yao@leg.bc.ca](mailto:henry.yao@leg.bc.ca)<<mailto:henry.yao@leg.bc.ca>>

Anne Kang  
MLA Burnaby Deer Lake | Parliamentary Secretary for Seniors  
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From: Executive Director [<mailto:ed@bccrns.ca>]

Sent: Friday, November 17, 2017 9:59 AM

To: Kang.MLA, Anne <[Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca)<<mailto:Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>>>

Cc: Sharon Johnson <[sharon.johnson@bccrns.ca](mailto:sharon.johnson@bccrns.ca)<<mailto:sharon.johnson@bccrns.ca>>>; ajit mehat  
s.22 >; Executive Director

<[sherry.baker@bccrns.ca](mailto:sherry.baker@bccrns.ca)<<mailto:sherry.baker@bccrns.ca>>>

Subject: Meeting with BC CRN

Dear Ms. Kang,

Thank you so much for finding time to meet with the BC Association of Community Response Networks which supports a community response to adult abuse neglect and self-neglect. I would like to bring our Director of Administration, Sharon Johnson, and board member, Ajit Mehat with me.

We are all available on either Dec. 4 or Dec 8 anytime - preferably after 11:00 am.

We look forward to sharing our work with you and supporting you in your commitment to improving the lives of seniors in BC

Sherry

Sherry Baker, MA  
Executive Director  
[ed@bccrns.ca](mailto:ed@bccrns.ca)<mailto:ed@bccrns.ca>  
[www.bccrns.ca](http://www.bccrns.ca)<http://www.bccrns.ca>

Organization: Korean Senior Citizens Society of Greater Vancouver

Event: Korean Senior's Christmas and The End of Year Luncheon

Actions: Anne will simply need to show up and go with Minister Ralston as the Minister will greet the community on behalf of the government

Special Guests: Minister Bruce Ralston

Contact: Teresa Scambler from Caucus and the organization contact  
vkscs2016@gmail.com<mailto:vkscs2016@gmail.com> or by telephone at (604) 255-6313.

The following is the communication record

Good Morning,  
Attached is an invite to the Korean Seniors' Christmas and the End of Year Luncheon on December 9th for your member's consideration.  
If your member does plan on attending this event would you please let me know?  
Thanks  
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Amber - I know that Raj will be unable to attend.

From: Crozier, Bev PREM:EX [mailto:Bev.Crozier@gov.bc.ca]  
Sent: Thursday, November 23, 2017 11:27 AM  
To: Scambler, Teresa <Teresa.Scambler@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Teresa.Scambler@leg.bc.ca>>; Scott, Samantha <Samantha.Scott@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Samantha.Scott@leg.bc.ca>>  
Subject: 696606 Invitation for Korean Senior's Christmas and The End of Year Luncheon

Good morning – please see the email and attachment to be forwarded to the Burnaby MLAs (PS Anne Kang, Minister Katrina Chen, Raj Chouhan, Janet Routledge) for their interest and consideration please.

Thank you,

Beverley Crozier  
Office of the Premier  
• 250-387-1806

From: Horgan.MLA, John [mailto:John.Horgan.MLA@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Monday, November 6, 2017 3:52 PM  
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX  
Subject: FW: Invitation for Korean Senior's Christmas and The End of Year Luncheon

From: Korean Senior Citizens Society Vancouver [mailto:vkscs2016@gmail.com]  
Sent: Monday, November 6, 2017 9:45 AM  
To: Horgan.MLA, John <John.Horgan.MLA@leg.bc.ca<mailto:John.Horgan.MLA@leg.bc.ca>>  
Subject: Invitation for Korean Senior's Christmas and The End of Year Luncheon

Dear Honourable of Premier Horgan:

Re: Invitation for Korean Senior's Christmas and The End of Year Luncheon

On behalf of the Korean senior Citizens Society of Greater Vancouver and I am delighted to invite you to our Christmas and The End of Year celebration.

The event will be take a place as fallow

Date and time: December 09, 2017 Saturday 11:00 a.m.

Location: Greater Vancouver Senior Citizens Society Community Center  
1320 East Hastings Street, Vancouver B.C.

1320 E. Hastings St. Vancouver V5L1S3, 604-255-6313

November 1, 2017

Hon. John Horgan  
Premier of British Columbia  
West Annex Parliament Buildings,  
Victoria, BC V8V 1X4  
Fax: (250) 387-0087 e-mail:john.horgan.mla@leg.bc.ca

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Location: Greater Vancouver Senior Citizens Society Community Center  
1320 East Hastings Street, Vancouver B.C.

We would be honoured to have you to celebrate our annual Christmas and The End of Year celebration with us by attending and sharing your message for the occasion.

We would appreciate receiving your response to our invitation by sending an e-mail:  
vkscs2016@gmail.com<mailto:vkscs2016@gmail.com> or by telephone at (604) 255-6313.

We look forward to seeing you at Korean Senior's Christmas and The End of Year Luncheon.

Yours sincerely,

Kum Ran Choi,  
President

1320 E. Hastings St. Vancouver BC CANADA V5L 1S3  
Tel) 604-255-6313, 604-880-5233  
E-mail) vkscs2016@gmail.com<mailto:vkscs2016@gmail.com>

-----Original Appointment-----

From: McCormick, Erika HLTH:EX [mailto:Erika.McCormick@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: Tuesday, November 28, 2017 11:57 AM

To: McCormick, Erika HLTH:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX; Kang, Gurbrinder

Cc: Kang, Anne

Subject: Meeting with BC Seniors Living Association

When: Monday, December 11, 2017 11:30 AM-12:00 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: Hemlock Room, 116

EM – 27/11

Attendees:

PS Anne Kang

Amanda van Baarsen

Marc Kinna

Tony Baena

Sylvia Ceacero

Location:

Hemlock Room 116

Time:

11:30-12:00pm

Confirmed:

Sylvia & Tony confirmed 28/11

Your meeting was forwarded

Kang,

Anne<mailto:/o=LASS/ou=Exchange%20Administrative%20Group%20(FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=bb5baf47635b4f9f86eafb07c2ae1d44-Kang,%20Anne> has forwarded your meeting request to additional people.

Meeting

Meeting with BC Seniors Living Association

Meeting Time

Monday, December 11, 2017 11:30 AM - Monday, December 11, 2017 12:00 PM

Recipients

Kang, Anne

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Amanda was there too.

Wanda from Carp.



Free event

Meeting with Finnish Manor care providers regarding layoffs and potential effects on seniors in care at the facility.

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Kang, Anne

Sent: Thursday, January 18, 2018 11:28 PM

To: Kang, Anne; Chouhan.MLA, Raj

Cc: Chouhan, Raj

Subject: Korean Seniors

When: Monday, January 29, 2018 12:00 PM-1:30 PM Customized Time Zone.

Where: On On wonton house

Entered by AK

Invited by Michale Chang.

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Will not stay for dinner, please prepare a certificate, short greeting is in the ask

Thank you.noted  
see you then 6\*30

paul chen

2018124 11:50"Kang.MLA, Anne" <Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>>

Dear NTCM,

Please accept this email as Ms. Anne Kang's RSVP for the event that is happening on Feb 3rd 2018. However, Ms. Kang does have another event to attend afterwards and therefore will not stay behind for dinner. She is also asking when she gets to speak and present a certificate for the organization.

Thank you again for reaching out to our office.



# 加拿大國家中醫藥學會

NATIONAL TRADITIONAL CHINESE MEDICINE ASSOCIATION OF CANADA  
520-4400 Hazelbridge Way, Richmond, BC, Canada V6X 3R1

January 18, 2018

Dear MLA Anne Kang

This year NTCM's Annual General Meeting/Chinese New Year Dinner will be held on the night of February 3rd (Saturday) at Wing Kee Restaurant 120-8260 Granville Ave, Richmond. Reception starts at 6:00pm and dinner shall begin promptly at 6:30pm.

You are cordially invited to join us as an honourable guest for this annual membership gathering and Chinese New Year celebration. Please RSVP at your earliest convenience.

We look forward to seeing you at this year's dinner!

Sincerely,

Paul Chang-Jen Chen  
President  
Tel: 604-808-7380  
E-mail: soulnaturalmedicine@gmail.com

Hi Team,

Raj has asked me to set up a meeting with Baldev Sanghera a doctor at Prime Care Medical Clinic and the 4 Burnaby MLA's. His clinic is in Burnaby-Edmonds but Raj says he wants to talk about some ideas he has been working with Burnaby Health Services on. The topic is about Burnaby and Health care services as a whole so Raj thinks it is worth meeting all together.

February 8th at 3:30 should work for everyone. With your approval I will coordinate.

Best,

Thanks!

I've heard from Raj that the others have agreed. I will enter the info into calendars (except Anne's) as soon as it confirmed with Dr. Sanghera.

Best,

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Charitable Registration Number: 11878 4891 RR0001



Contact: 604-420-8022

My name is s.22 and I'm a student volunteer with the Korean Senior Citizens' Society in Vancouver. I have been tasked with obtaining brochures, materials, and other resources for an elder abuse prevention program that will be held at the centre. I'm wondering if you have these materials on-hand, and, if so, if I could come by your constituency office in Burnaby sometime this week to pick them up?

Adam will be bringing 2 other guests to talk about family counseling.



**Brief: Support for family councils in BC's residential care facilities**

Prepared by the BC Health Coalition and the Vancouver Island Association of Family Councils  
for Parliamentary Secretary for Seniors, Honourable Anne Kang

March 6, 2018

**Introduction**

A family council is a self-determining, democratic body composed of friends, family members, or other persons of significance to residents in residential care.

Family councils play a central role in supporting the well-being of residents in residential care.

Like parent-teacher advisory councils, they establish lines of communication between all stakeholders, provide a forum for safe, productive discussion, offer suggestions to administration, and link with other councils to identify and address issues that are systematic between facilities, among other services.

However, at present there are very few supports for family councils in legislation and regulation in BC.

As a result, many of BC's residential care facilities do not have family councils. Some facilities still resist or oppose family councils through actions such as refusing to recognize family councils, banning councils from meeting on site, and instructing staff not to speak with family members who participate on a family council. Still others run management-controlled groups in place of independent family councils. These situations present significant barriers for family councils seeking to improve the quality of care for residents in these facilities.

**Support for family councils in regulation and legislation**

We are asking for your help to establish the role of, and support for, family councils via regulation and legislation so that residents, family members, and staff can benefit from active family councils in all of BC's residential care facilities.

The BC Ombudsperson, in her 2009 report "The Best of Care: Getting It Right for Seniors in British Columbia Part 1" made the following findings:

"Resident and family councils are important mechanisms for ensuring the well-being of residents in residential care facilities. The Ministry of Health Services and the Ministry of Healthy Living and Sport have not taken the necessary steps to ensure that resident and family councils are adequately supported." (p. 49)

"The formation of regional family council organizations could serve as a needed early warning system for the ministries by allowing family councils to identify common, and perhaps systemic, problems before they become crises. Again, it is disappointing that the ministries have not committed to support the establishment and development of regional family council organizations." (p. 10)

The Ombudsperson made four recommendations to provide support for family councils and regional family council organizations, as outlined below. In the Ombudsperson's office's most recent update on the progress made in implementing these recommendations, 3 of 4 were assessed as "no progress, no further action planned".

We are asking you to champion the implementation of these recommendations, and we offer our support in that task.

The Vancouver Island Association of Family Councils, as BC's only regional association of family councils, has valuable insight into the specific regulatory and legislative supports that would be beneficial in BC and is available to provide input and support. Along with firsthand experience as a regional family council organization, the association has also worked with family councils in other provinces and territories to identify which jurisdictions have the most effective regulatory and legislative regimes for family councils that BC can learn from.

### **BC Ombudsperson Recommendations**

The BC Ombudsperson's recommendations for supporting family councils are:

3(a) The Ministry of Health Services and the Ministry of Healthy Living and Sport take the necessary steps to entrench an expanded role for resident and family councils in legislation or regulation that applies to all residential care facilities in British Columbia. These changes should include a requirement to designate a liaison person at each facility and in each health authority to assist and respond to resident and family councils. These changes also should include timeframes for responding to resident and family councils.

3(b) The Ministry of Health Services and the Ministry of Healthy Living and Sport provide guidelines for operators of all residential care facilities on the types of support they should offer resident and family councils. [Note: BCHC and VIAFC recommend that this is better achieved via regulatory language]

3(c) The Ministry of Health Services and the Ministry of Healthy Living and Sport establish an ongoing position to promote and help develop resident and family councils, and to report publicly on those activities every year.

3(d) The Ministry of Health Services and the Ministry of Healthy Living and Sport support the establishment and development of regional family council organizations. (pg. 49-50)

### **Conclusion**

Family councils play a central role in supporting the well-being of residents in residential care. We are asking for your help to establish the role of, and support for, family councils via regulation and legislation. We appreciate your attention to this important issue, and look forward to working with you to improve quality of care for seniors in BC's residential care homes.

### **Contact information**

Adam Lynes-Ford, BC Health Coalition | [adam@bchealthcoalition.ca](mailto:adam@bchealthcoalition.ca) | 604-787-6560

Kim Slater, Vancouver Island Association of Family Councils chair | [kcslater@shaw.ca](mailto:kcslater@shaw.ca) | 250-390-2311

Minister Dix has requested that I reach out to all Burnaby MLAs for a briefing in his office (Rm 337) tomorrow March 15@ 5:00-5:45pm re: Burnaby Hospital. Please confirm if they are able to attend.

Raj Chauhan  
Janet Routledge  
Anne Kang  
Katrina Chen

PS

Following up from my meeting with Anne Kang Parliamentary Secretary for Seniors in the fall in the constituency office, she mentioned an interest in visiting Abbotsford and meeting with seniors. This is a formal invitation to invite Anne on behalf of the Abbotsford Seniors Network (ASN) would like to invite Anne to speak on April 13, Friday, at 11:30 am lunch at Garden Park Tower in Abbotsford. The audience will be hundreds of seniors plus leaders of organizations that serve seniors. Following this event an invite only meeting with community leaders will take place from 1:30 – 3:00 pm.

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We look forward to hearing a favourable reply.

## **RE: Response Requested - Speaking Invitation**

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From: Kang.MLA, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=240F804E23494DFCB2308EFC8D8C2D FDB-KANG.MLA, ANNE>  
To: Dan Levitt  
Sent: March 1, 2018 3:32:08 PM PST  
Received: March 1, 2018 3:32:00 PM PST

Dear Dan,

Thank you for your patience. Anne would be honoured to visit Abbotsford and participate in Abbotsford Seniors Network's event. Please forward us any relevant information about this event, including any meeting agenda and/or schedule of events. We appreciate your tireless efforts and wish all the success for the event.

Very best,

David Yang  
Constituency Assistant for  
Anne Kang, MLA Burnaby-Deer Lake  
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-----Original Message-----

From: Dan Levitt [mailto:DLevitt@taborvillage.org]  
Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 12:06 PM  
To: Yao, Henry <Henry.Yao@leg.bc.ca>  
Cc: Chung, Apollo <Apollo.Chung@leg.bc.ca>  
Subject: RE: Response Requested - Speaking Invitation

Thanks for the reply back Henry, Apollo please reply today.

Regards,

Dan Levitt, MSc., CHE  
Executive Director, Tabor Village  
Adjunct Professor, Gerontology, Simon Fraser University Adjunct Professor, School of Nursing, University of British Columbia Board Member, Global Aging Network  
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From: Yao, Henry [mailto:Henry.Yao@leg.bc.ca]  
Sent: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 12:05 PM



To: Dan Levitt <DLevitt@taborvillage.org>  
Cc: Chung, Apollo <Apollo.Chung@leg.bc.ca>  
Subject: Re: Response Requested - Speaking Invitation

?HI Dan,

s.22 The best person to follow up with your meeting request is Apollo whom I have included in this email. Thank you again for your patience and I know Apollo will be able to help you with the meeting request

Henry YAO

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From: Dan Levitt <DLevitt@taborvillage.org>  
Sent: February 28, 2018 12:01 PM  
To: Yao, Henry  
Cc: Kang.MLA, Anne  
Subject: Response Requested - Speaking Invitation

Henry:

Please provide an update today.

Regards,

Dan Levitt, MSc., CHE

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From: Dan Levitt  
Sent: Friday, February 16, 2018 12:20 PM  
To: 'henry.yao@leg.bc.ca' <henry.yao@leg.bc.ca>  
Cc: 'Kang.MLA, Anne' <Anne.Kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca>  
Subject: Response Requested - Speaking Invitation  
Importance: High

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ANNE\*

Minister of Health

The Honourable Adrian Dix

for an announcement about supports for Vietnamese seniors 12:30 p.m. Saturday, April 14, 2018 Location:

Kiwassa Neighbourhood House 2425 Oxford Street Vancouver

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Denlinger, Becky EMBC:EX [mailto:Becky.Denlinger@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 5:14 PM

To: Denlinger, Becky EMBC:EX; Wall, Selina; Lenz, Allison EMBC:EX; Rice, Jennifer PSSG:EX; Wall, Selina

Cc: Kang, Gurbrinder; Rice, Jennifer

Subject: Parliamentary Secretary Kang Briefing - Continuity of Government / DM Denlinger

When: Monday, April 23, 2018 10:15 AM-11:15 AM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: Parliament Buildings - East Annex

## Re: For approval-quote for island announcement

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX  
Cc: Kang, Anne HLTH:EX, Kang.MLA, Anne  
Sent: January 12, 2019 5:25:43 PM PST  
Received: January 12, 2019 5:25:45 PM PST  
Approved!  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 12, 2019, at 2:00 PM, Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX <[Lucinda.Yeung@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Lucinda.Yeung@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Anne!

MD is announcing the addition of long-term care beds in the Comox Valley next week -- drafts are still being worked on but we wanted to ensure that this quote gets to you for review before tomorrow

Some context - as you know from your conversation with Ronna Rae, there will be 150 new residential care beds added and a campus of seniors' care.

For your approval below:

"Through our seniors strategy we are working to support better services for seniors," said Parliamentary Secretary for Seniors Anne Kang. "The investment in these beds as well as additional investments in care hours and adult day care spaces are examples of how we are making improvements for seniors and their families."

Thank you,

Lucinda

## Re: REQUESTING Re: Briefing with Premier

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Gill, Goneet  
Cc: Kang, Gurbrinder  
Bcc: Chung, Apollo, Liang, Felix  
Sent: January 18, 2019 11:50:34 AM PST  
Received: January 18, 2019 11:50:34 AM PST

Hi Goneet,  
I'll be calling in.  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 18, 2019, at 11:11 AM, Gill, Goneet <[Goneet.Gill@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Goneet.Gill@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hello all,

We would like to invite MsGC, MsKC and PS, Anne Kang, MLA to a briefing with the Premier on Lunar New Year activities for Wednesday, January 30 at 4:00 pm (30 minutes) in the PO.

Please confirm their attendance with me at your earliest convenience and if they would like to call in please note the call in details below. Thank you for letting me know if they will be calling in or attending in person.

**Con Call Details:**

Tel: ~~s.15~~; ~~s.17~~

Participant code: ~~s.15~~; ~~s.17~~

**PO will moderate**

Cheers,

Chris





## Re: Event: Premier's Lunar New Year lunch - Feb 04, 2019

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Liang, Felix  
Sent: January 22, 2019 10:05:00 PM PST  
Received: January 22, 2019 10:05:00 PM PST

Of course, Felix :)

I believe I am the MC of this event and Wendy's groups are the performers.

Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 22, 2019, at 2:06 PM, Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Event name: Premier's Lunar New Year Lunch  
Time: 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM  
Location: Continental Seafood Restaurant, 11700 Cambie Road  
This is an important event. Would you like to RVSP for this event?

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**From:** Kang, MLA, Anne  
**Sent:** Monday, January 21, 2019 1:39 PM  
**To:** Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** FW: Premier's Lunar New Year lunch - Feb 04, 2019  
Event

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**From:** Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX [<mailto:Elena.Banfield@gov.bc.ca>]  
**Sent:** Friday, January 18, 2019 2:20 PM  
**To:** Chow, George <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Conroy, Katrine <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Darcy, Judy <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Dean, Mitzi <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Donaldson, Doug <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Eby, David <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Elmore, Mable <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Fleming, Rob <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Fleming, MLA, Rob <[Rob.Fleming.MLA@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Rob.Fleming.MLA@leg.bc.ca)>; Fraser, Scott <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Heyman, George <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; James, Carole <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; ronna-rae.leonard@leg.bc.ca; Ma, Bowinn <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Mark, Melanie <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Mungall, Michelle <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Rice, Jennifer <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Simons, Nicholas <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Simpson, Shane <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Trevena, Claire <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Dix, Adrian <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Popham, Lana <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Routley, Douglas <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Bains, Harry <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Beare, Lisa <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Begg, Garry <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Brar, Jagrup <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Chen, Katrina <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Chouhan, Rajs <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; D'Eith, Bob <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Farnworth, Mike <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Glumac, Rick <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Kahlon, Ravi <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Kang, Anne <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Ralston, Bruce <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Robinson, Selina <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Routledge, Janet <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Sims, Jinny <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>; Singh, Rachna <[s.17](mailto:s.17)>  
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**Subject:** Premier's Lunar New Year lunch - Feb 04, 2019

Good afternoon,

The Premier will be hosting a Lunar New Year dim sum lunch on Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, and invites you to attend if your schedule permits.

The lunch will take place from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Continental Seafood Restaurant, 11700 Cambie Road, in Richmond. The program will include brief remarks by the Premier and others, and two performances.

Please RSVP to me if you are planning to attend. If you have any questions or need further information, please let me know.

All the best,

Elena

**Elena Banfield** | Event Coordinator

Government Communications and Public Engagement

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## Re: Event: Invite: MHC Provincial Gathering and Day of Fasting

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Liang, Felix  
Sent: January 22, 2019 10:10:04 PM PST  
Received: January 22, 2019 10:10:05 PM PST

Thank them for their invitation. MLA Kang will attend with the government caucus and Premier Horgan.  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 22, 2019, at 10:49 AM, Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Event: 8<sup>th</sup> annual provincial gathering and day of fasting

Location: Victoria Conference Centre

Events on the day:

- Daybreak Ceremony (7:15am - 8:00am)
- Morning Keynote Speakers and Healing Circles (9:00am - 11:30am)
- Walk to End Violence Against Women and Children (11:45am - 1:00pm)
- Afternoon workshops and Cultural Activities (1:30pm - 5:30pm)
- Fast-breaking Ceremony (5:30pm - 6:00pm)
- Community Feast (6:00pm - 7:30pm)

More information:

[https://www.cognitoforms.com/MooseHideCampaign/\\_8thAnnualProvincialGatheringAndDayOfFasting?fbclid=IwAR1Ld68\\_zn4q5-YXvAWNGwIbfOOBBQrIkICK-xOLzETP0y1J5mQhBeAI2cc](https://www.cognitoforms.com/MooseHideCampaign/_8thAnnualProvincialGatheringAndDayOfFasting?fbclid=IwAR1Ld68_zn4q5-YXvAWNGwIbfOOBBQrIkICK-xOLzETP0y1J5mQhBeAI2cc)

Would you like to RSVP for this gathering? And which event on the day you would like to RVSP?

**From:** Kang, MLA, Anne

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 22, 2019 10:29 AM

**To:** Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)>

**Subject:** Fwd: Invite: MHC Provincial Gathering and Day of Fasting  
Anne should go

Sent from my iPhone

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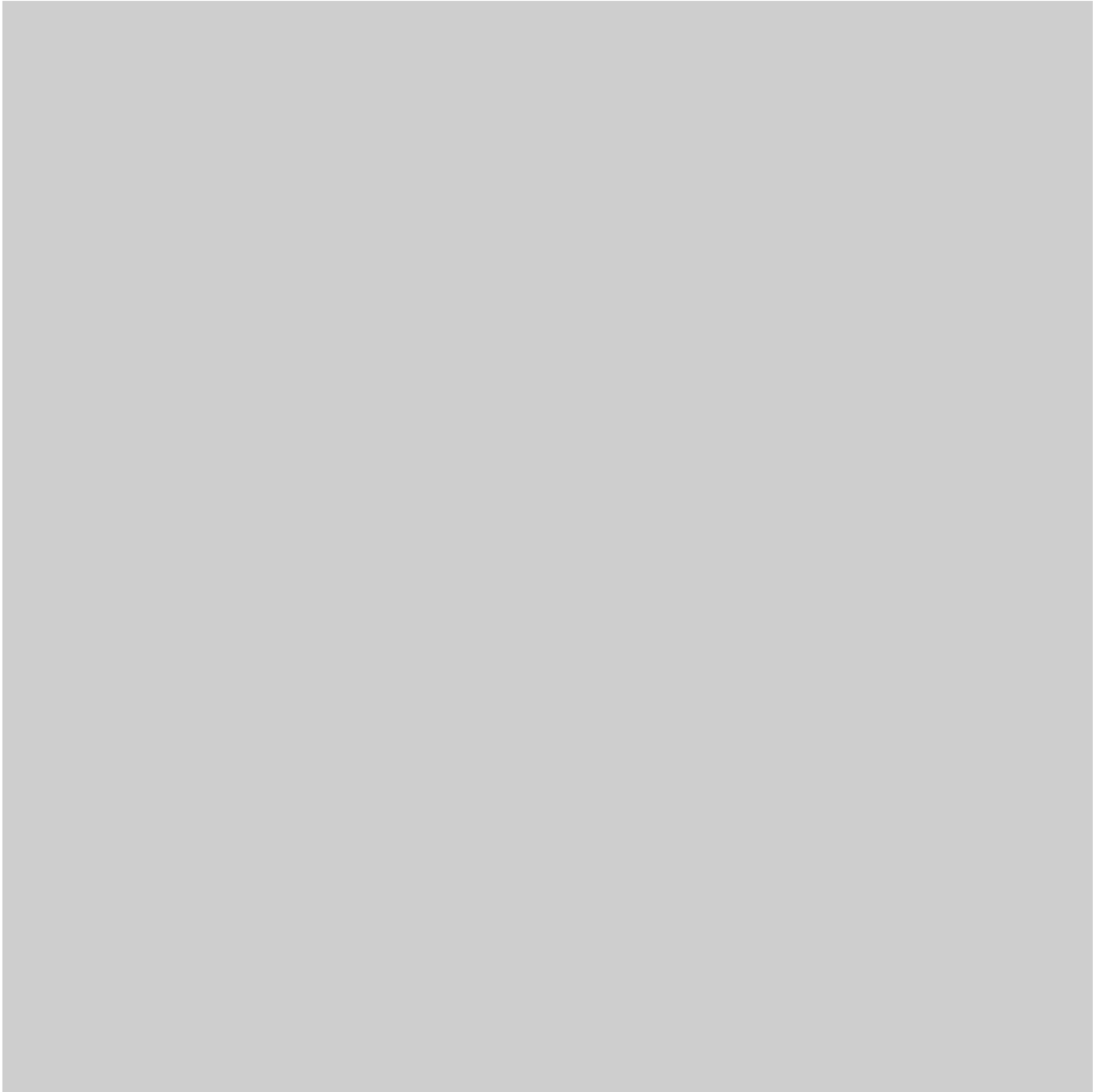
**From:** The Moose Hide Campaign <[info@moosehidecampaign.ca](mailto:info@moosehidecampaign.ca)>

**Date:** January 22, 2019 at 10:23:18 AM PST

**To:** <[anne.kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca](mailto:anne.kang.MLA@leg.bc.ca)>

**Subject:** Invite: MHC Provincial Gathering and Day of Fasting

**Reply-To:** The Moose Hide Campaign <[info@moosehidecampaign.ca](mailto:info@moosehidecampaign.ca)>

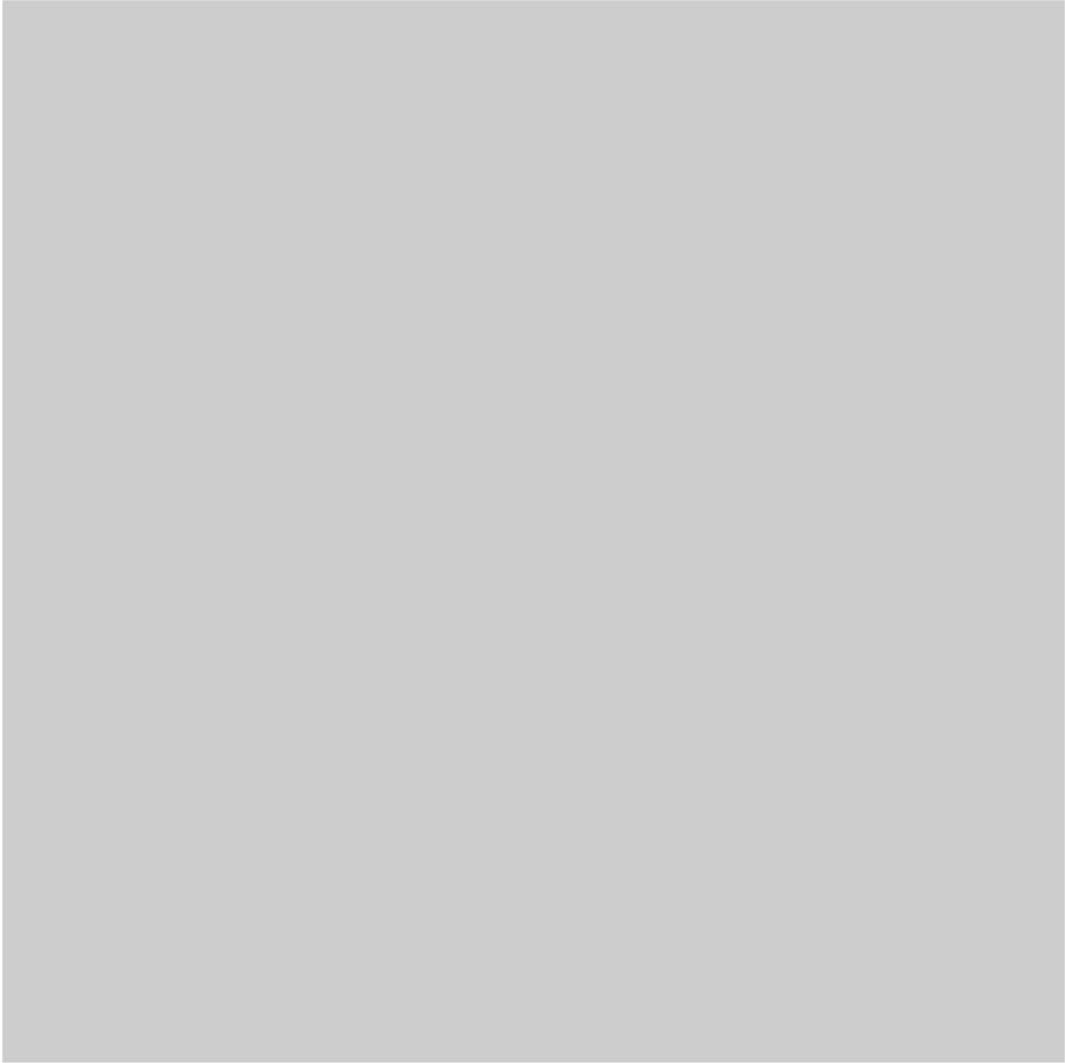


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*Please join us for our*  
**Provincial Gathering and**  
**Day of Fasting**

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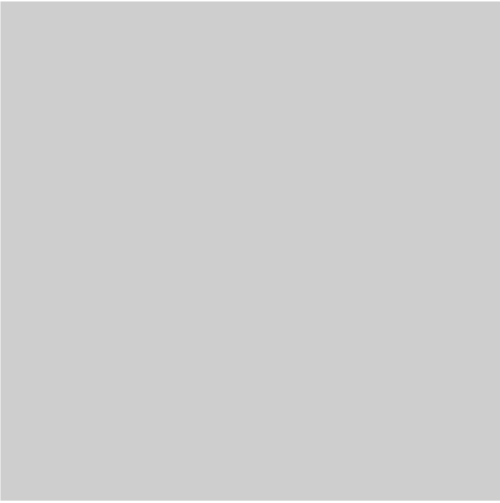
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**Join Us!**

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Happy New Year, and I hope this email finds you well. I am writing to follow up on the invitation we sent in December on behalf of our co-founders Paul and Raven Lacerte to join us for the Provincial Gathering and Day of Fasting on February 13th in Victoria, BC. We would be humbled if you could join us on this incredible and powerful day.

If you have any questions regarding your participation in the event, please do not hesitate to contact Rosy Hartman at [rhartman@moosehidecampaign.ca](mailto:rhartman@moosehidecampaign.ca) or by responding to this email.

If you have not done so, please [click here to register now](#)

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The event is a day of ceremony, sharing, and learning, and will be held at the Victoria Conference Centre at 720 Douglas Street. The day will include key note speakers, healing circles, and other ceremonies, including a community feast after sundown. Over the noon hour, we will hold a Walk to End Violence Against Women and Children that will go

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from the Victoria Conference Centre to the BC Legislature.

If you are looking for more information on the event, please go to the [Provincial Gathering tab on our website](#)

## **Pledge to Wear Your Moose Hide Square**

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13th. No matter where you are in our beautiful country, this is an opportunity to **take a stand** against gender-based violence.

## Get Involved

- Join our [Facebook Event Page](#)
- Create a picture or video [Pledge Statement](#) on the Moose Hide Campaign website to show your commitment to protecting and honouring the women and children in your life
- If you cannot make it to Ottawa, we encourage you to [hold your own Moose Hide event](#) in your community, and be sure to reach out to us on social media so we can share what you're doing to help spread awareness
- Moose hide squares are available free for order [here](#)

**Wear your moose hide, start the conversation.**

**[Register Now](#)**



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## **Re: URGENT REQUEST - Kwikwetlem First Nation Canoe Dedication Ceremony at Valleyview, January 29**

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Kang, Gurbrinder  
Cc: Liang, Felix, Chung, Apollo  
Sent: January 28, 2019 10:08:34 AM PST  
Received: January 28, 2019 10:08:35 AM PST

Hi!

Sorry, I have a previously booked event that day. Please give my regrets.

Thanks,  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 28, 2019, at 9:07 AM, Kang, Gurbrinder <Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca> wrote:

Please let me know ASAP.

Thank you,  
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From: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX [mailto:Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca]  
Sent: January-25-19 3:18 PM  
To: Kang, Gurbrinder <Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca>  
Subject: FW: URGENT REQUEST - Kwikwetlem First Nation Canoe Dedication Ceremony at Valleyview, January 29  
Importance: High

Hi Gurbrinder,

We were not able to get an answer from your office on this. Can you please check with PS Kang on Monday morning to see if she's interested in attending.,

Thanks,  
K

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From: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX  
Sent: Thursday, January 24, 2019 3:58 PM  
To: Kang, Gurbrinder LASS:EX <Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca<mailto:Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca>>  
Subject: URGENT REQUEST - Kwikwetlem First Nation Canoe Dedication Ceremony at Valleyview, January 29  
Importance: High

Hi Gurbrinder,

Would you P. Secretary Anne Kang be interested in taking part of the Kwikwetlem First Nation Canoe Dedication Ceremony on January 29. This will be at The Healing Spirit House at 2601 Lougheed, Coquitlam, BC - The Riverview Lands.

The participants should expect to stay from 8:30 until the lunch is blessed, which could be around 12:30/1 p.m.

The ceremony will include four provincial reps. that will be "receivers" of the canoe and three provincial reps. that will be "witnesses" that will have an opportunity to say a few words (no time allotment; they can speak as long as they want – although thinking we try to get it short – 2 mins or so).

At this point they have Minister Sims and Minister Robinson attending as provincial government reps and witnesses. Can you advise if PS Kang would be interested in joining the event as provincial government rep and witness?

There will be lots of media – photo ops/videographers.

Could you please let me know as soon as possible.

Thank you,  
Kathleen

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- 8:30 am KFN Escort Canoe from Kwikwetlem, arrive at Riverview at 9:00am
- 9:00 Canoe Ceremony commences Arrive at hyt k šxhli lelm (Healing Spirit House)
- Welcome address & Dedication from Chief Giesbrecht
- 3 Witnesses called
- KFN Women prepare receiving area, cover (blanket) canoe escorts & receivers
- Drummers sing the canoe inside for Final Journey
- Canoe Procession follows behind Drummers
- Canoe to be received by dignitaries, 4 in total
- Blessing of canoe commences
- Everyone is seated
- Honoring of artists- Blessing of the floor
- Call the artists & linguist to prepared floor
- Head speaker addresses the work
- Drummers sing honor song in recognition of artists
- Announcement of gifted Names
- KFN Gift the name hyt k šxhli lelm (Healing Spirit House)
- KFN Gift the name for the Aboriginal Healing Room -skamkmx (a place to gather strength)
- An explanation of the significance of the names by Head speaker
- Witnesses will be called in order to speak
- Witnesses formal address
- Prayer & Lunch to follow

#### Protocol Speaking notes

- Acknowledgments to the territory, Kwikwetlem dignitaries & acknowledgment of elders.
- Acknowledge the gifts received from KFN ie: canoe, art, sculpture's, welcome figure, weaving etc.
- Reconciliation -Speak to the positive working relationship, successes etc.

- Closing acknowledgments, thank you to all who have brought us to this day.
- The ocean-going canoe was the main source of travel for first nations people, particularly the Kwikwetlem peoples. The 46-foot traditional style ocean-going canoe is made of red cedar, red cedar was used particularly for its pliability & lightweight.
- KFN harvested the 1000-year-old red cedar tree from the Alert Bay area, it was transported down to Kwikwetlem via logging truck. Construction of the canoe took approximately a year to dry naturally and carve.
- Teachings are shared before entering a canoe, our teachings are to paddle as one, this brings unity, harmony, & shared leadership responsibilities, as all paddlers are equal.
- Respect is given to the canoe as this is considered a living being with a spirit and should be treated with the upmost respect, by caring for it, in turn it protects us as we travel.

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## Re: Attendance confirmation for SI meeting February 04, 2019

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To: Kang, Gurbrinder  
Sent: January 28, 2019 10:10:19 AM PST  
Received: January 28, 2019 10:10:20 AM PST

It would be a busy day with the Premier's LNY Lunch and calculating the potential travel time. I would prefer to do a call in. Can you get me a conference number?

Thanks, Gurbrinder!

Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 28, 2019, at 8:36 AM, Kang, Gurbrinder <[Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Gurbrinder.Kang@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Please confirm where you will attend, let me know.

Thank you,

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**Importance:** High

Good morning,

Please confirm the attendance of your Minister/Official by responding to this email **ASAP**.

**Also, please confirm WHERE your Minister/Official will be attending.**

If requesting leave, please contact Valerie McKnight, and CC: Daphna Mills, and myself for the attendance survey.

**SI**

Monday, February 04, 2019

2:30 p.m. — 4:30 p.m.

VCO/Chambers

Thank you,

Dawn-Alena Brown

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## LNy Script with Anne

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To: s.17 Kahlon, Ravi  
Sent: January 28, 2019 11:14:41 AM PST  
Received: January 28, 2019 11:14:42 AM PST

Hi Ravi,

Here is the script for you again, modified. Will you have time to drop by this week? Should I get my office to call your office?

I look forward to seeing you!!! And it was great hanging out yesterday. Hope it was a good day for you.

Cheers,

Anne

Ravi: Hi, my name is Ravi Kahlon, MLA for Delta South. I'm here at my good friend, MLA Anne Kang's Office in Burnaby Deer Lake. She's going to teach me something about Lunar New Year.

Anne: Hey Ravi, thanks for coming today! Lunar New Year is just around the corner. So I went and did some shopping.

Ravi: Well, what do you have here ?

Anne: Oranges and Apples! These fruits are some of the lucky and popular gifts one would give during this season. The orange represents luck and the apple represents peace.

In the Chinese culture, it is common for us to use puns and homonyms to suggest one word to another.

Orange is pronounced "ji", which means luck.

Ravi: (repeat) Ji?

Anne: and apples are pronounced "ping".

Ravi: Ping.

Anne: Yup! So, during Lunar New Year, Chinese people would usually greet or wish others "da ji da li", which means wishing you lots of prosperity.

Ravi: Da Ji Da Li !

Anne: they would also offer the apple and say "ping ping Anne Anne".

Ravi: ping ping Anne Anne!

Ravi: Hey Anne, both our culture share similarities. Orange is also a traditional Sikh Khalsa color , which represents wisdom and valour.

People in the Sikh community would wear bright saffron orange colours during special events.

Anne: wow! That's so cool!

Ravi: oh, and I guess that's why I see a lot of oranges and apples on display or packed beautifully as gift baskets.

Anne: oh yea! That's right! it is a popular gift to exchange between friends. When giving these fruits as gifts, offer them with both hands.

In the chinese culture, it's polite and customary for the recipient to refuse at first, so keep trying.

Anne: Here Ravi, I bought these apples for you and family to share. It's very sweet this time of the year.

Ravi: Oh Anne, that's very generous of you, but no, I couldn't possibly accept your gift.

Anne: oh but I insist, please, take some home.

Ravi: No no, you have been so gracious to invite me over for tea, I simply couldn't.

Anne: but your one of my best friends Ravi, please, take some home to share with your family. I insist.

Ravi: okay, if you insist. (Look up) so with this auspicious gifts, I would like to wish everyone a happy lunar new year. Wishing everyone "Da Ji Da Li, Ping ping anne anne"

Anne: 在此，省議員康安禮和 Ravi Kahlon 祝大家豬年安康

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## Re: Event: For MLA Calender Annual Hands Against Racism campaign

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To: Liang, Felix  
Sent: January 29, 2019 9:38:59 AM PST  
Received: January 29, 2019 9:39:00 AM PST

It looks like I am available for now.  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 28, 2019, at 1:17 PM, Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Premier John Horgan launched the annual Hands against racism campaign organized by Spice Radio. One event will take place in Burnaby on Saturday, March 19; 12 p.m. @ Shadbolt Centre for the Arts, 6450 Deer Lake Avenue, Burnaby.  
Would you like to participate in this event?

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**From:** Chung, Apollo  
**Sent:** Friday, January 18, 2019 4:47 PM  
**To:** Liang, Felix <[Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Felix.Liang@leg.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: For MLA Calender Annual Hands Against Racism campaign  
See if Anne wants to go. More likely yes.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Li, Jony" <[Jony.Li@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Jony.Li@leg.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** January 18, 2019 at 4:22:23 PM PST  
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**Subject:** Fwd: For MLA Calender Annual Hands Against Racism campaign

Hi there

Just to let you know Premier John Horgan launched the annual Hands against racism campaign organized by Spice Radio this week. Your MLA may want to take part in this in some capacity. Please see the website below for further information on how to engage:

<http://spiceradio.net/hands-against-racism/>

Events to mark the campaign are taking place at the following times, dates and locations in Vancouver, Burnaby and Surrey.

**Vancouver**

When: Saturday, March 19; 12 p.m.

Where: Roundhouse Community Centre  
181 Roundhouse Mews, Vancouver

**Vancouver**

When: Saturday, March 19; 12 p.m.

Where: Vancouver Library Fraserview Branch  
1950 Argyle Drive, Vancouver

**Vancouver**

When: Saturday, March 19; 12 p.m.

Where: Sunset Community Centre

6810 Main Street, Vancouver

**Burnaby**

When: Saturday, March 19; 12 p.m.

Where: Shadbolt Centre for the Arts

6450 Deer Lake Avenue, Burnaby

**Surrey**

When: Saturday, March 19; 12 p.m.

Where: Surrey City Centre Library

10350 University Drive, Surrey

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## Re: For review and approval-quote for age-friendly grants news releases

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From: Kang, Anne </O=LASS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BB5BAF47635B4F9F86EAFB07C2AE1D44-KANG, ANNE>  
To: Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX  
Cc: Kang, Anne HLTH:EX, Kang.MLA, Anne  
Sent: January 30, 2019 9:31:26 AM PST  
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Approved.  
Thanks,  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 30, 2019, at 9:27 AM, Yeung, Lucinda HLTH:EX <[Lucinda.Yeung@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Lucinda.Yeung@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Anne,

A bit of background: The grants are a partnership between the province and Union of BC Municipalities. There are 37 communities across B.C. that are receiving grants this year, and so there will be 5 news releases for each health authority and one for the four First Nations communities.

You may remember them from last year! For your reference, here's the NR from 2018:

<https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2018HLTH0033-000669>

And this is the quote that requires your approval-I've included a bit of context in the beginning

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**NEWS RELEASE**

For Immediate Release Ministry of Health

Jan. X, 2019

Fraser Health

**Better supports for seniors in Fraser Health with age-friendly grants**

SURREY— From Burnaby to Maple Ridge, four communities in Fraser Health are receiving age-friendly grants to support their seniors so they can live active, socially engaged and independent lives.

“We’re proud to say that this round of age-friendly grants is the second largest we’ve ever had,” said Health Minister Adrian Dix. “That means even more communities have the opportunity to create age-friendly spaces, opportunities and programs for their local seniors to be engaged.”

A total of \$729,500 in age-friendly grants are being provided to B.C. communities in 2019, including, for the first time, four First Nations communities.

“Seniors are at the heart of their communities, and it’s important that they be able to age well at home so they can continue to contribute positively to their neighbourhoods,” said Anne Kang, Parliamentary Secretary for Seniors. “The impact of the age-friendly grants is great, and because of the success of the program, we have seen it grow year after year.”

Thank you!

Lucinda

**Lucinda Yeung**

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Hon. Adrian Dix, Minister of Health

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## Re: Local Gaming Grants release - draft for Burnaby

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To: Dean, Jeff  
Cc: Routledge, Janet, Chouhan, Raj, Chen, Katrina, May, Ed, Yano, Brady  
Sent: January 30, 2019 1:33:02 PM PST  
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Quote approved :)  
Anne

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On Jan 30, 2019, at 1:22 PM, Dean, Jeff <[Jeff.Dean@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Jeff.Dean@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi everyone. This is to all the Burnaby MLAs. Tomorrow at around 10:30 we will be sending out local releases on this topic. Could you please take a look at this draft and approve or change the quotes attributed to you? If you have any feelings about the specific organizations here, that would be great to share, because I'm writing a lot of these quotes and they can tend to sound the same.

Thanks,

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PS. FYI, Brady is away today so I'm filling in for him on this task.

# Burnaby MLAs welcome B.C. government funds for local environment and public safety organizations

February 1, 2018

**BURNABY** – Local New Democrat MLAs Anne Kang, Janet Routledge, Katrina Chen and Raj Chouhan are welcoming **\$128,000 in funding for three not-for-profit organizations in Burnaby. The organizations, which offer public safety and environmental programs, are receiving the funds through the Community Gaming Grants program.**

The recipients of the community grant funding are the Action for Animals in Distress Society, the Wildlife Rescue Association of B.C., and the Royal Life Saving Society of Canada's B.C. and Yukon Branch.

Across the province, over 145 public safety-related organizations are receiving more than \$6.5 million this year. Through public safety programs, these groups provide emergency and lifesaving services including search and rescue activities, volunteer fire departments, emergency preparedness, community and restorative justice, and more.

Approximately 120 organizations in the environment sector are receiving \$3.8 million across the province, providing people with opportunities to learn about and connect with nature, conducting wildlife rehabilitation programs and shelters for animals, helping us adapt to climate change, supporting local food systems, and more.

The Community Gaming Grants program provides up to \$140 million to about 5,000 not-for-profit organizations in British Columbia each year.

### **Quotes**

#### **Janet Routledge, MLA for Burnaby North**

“Through these organizations, British Columbians generously donate their time to protecting people, animals and the environment. I’m proud that through Community Gaming Grants, British Columbians are supporting them right back.”

#### **Anne Kang, MLA for Burnaby-Deer Lake**

“Promoting water safety, sheltering stray and abandoned animals, and protecting wildlife are some of the small things that add up to big things. It’s the people in organizations like these in Burnaby that make us the caring society that we are.”

#### **Raj Chouhan, MLA for Burnaby-Edmonds**

**“People express what they care about by volunteering and working for great causes. I’m proud that our Government can help facilitate their important work.”**

#### **Katrina Chen, MLA for Burnaby-Lougheed**

“I’d like to give a big thanks to all the dedicated staff and volunteers in these Burnaby organizations. You do important work and I’m proud that our New Democrat Government can help you keep doing it.”

For more information on Community Gaming Grants:  
<http://www.gov.bc.ca/gaminggrants>

## Re: Open house Thursday

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To: Jennifer Stewart  
Cc: Chung, Apollo, Ben Rawluk  
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Sounds wonderful, Jennifer. I look forward to connecting with the volunteers and staff there. Having a parking option would be great. Please connect with Apollo about that.  
Cheers,  
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 30, 2019, at 12:28 PM, Jennifer Stewart <[JStewart@alzheimercbc.org](mailto:JStewart@alzheimercbc.org)> wrote:

Dear Anne,  
Thank you for your message. On behalf of our CEO Maria Howard and the Alzheimer Society of B.C., we are so pleased that you'll be able to join us at our event tomorrow afternoon. Here are the details:

**Location:** 828 West 8th Avenue Vancouver, BC (3rd floor)

**Time:** Event starts at 3:00pm

**Guests:** We are expecting approximately 100 community members (including our clients, volunteers, advocates, partners and the general public)

Apollo, perhaps we can connect re: parking as needed?

The formal program is focused on recognizing our volunteers for their service, you would not be expected to speak and Maria will of course acknowledge your presence to guests. It will be wonderful to have you there and we are so thankful for your leadership, commitment and partnership.

Please let me know if you have follow-up questions. We will look forward to seeing you tomorrow,  
Jennifer

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Join the Alzheimer Society of B.C. for Breakfast to Remember, a fundraising breakfast to break down stigma and mobilize a community of care around people living with dementia and their families. Learn more about the event, featuring talks from inspiring speakers in Victoria and Vancouver, at [breakfasttoremember.ca](http://breakfasttoremember.ca).

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-----Original Message-----

From: Kang, Anne s.17  
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 9:31 AM  
To: Jennifer Stewart <[JStewart@alzheimercbc.org](mailto:JStewart@alzheimercbc.org)>; Chung, Apollo <[Apollo.Chung@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Apollo.Chung@leg.bc.ca)>  
Subject: Open house Thursday

Hi Jennifer,

Thank you for your invitation to Alzheimer Society's Open House. Tomorrow is a busy day for me, with various meetings at different venues.

I will come at 3pm and will need to leave around 3:45pm latest. Can you let me know if I'm expected to speak or if there are any details of the event that I should be aware of?

Thanks!

Anne

Sent from my iPhone